



PATENT APPLICATION  
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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For: GROWTH FACTOR HOMOLOG ZVEGF3

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 C.F.R. 1.136(a))

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Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response  
to the Notice to File Missing Parts dated June 9, 2000 be  
extended for a period of two months from August 9, 2000 to  
October 9, 2000.

Please charge the total fee, estimated to be \$390.00,  
to ZymoGenetics, Inc., Deposit Account No. 26-0290. A duplicate  
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Respectfully submitted,

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